

## Message Text

SECRET POSS DUPE

PAGE 01 ABIDJA 03390 231637Z

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ACTION AF-04

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 SS-14 SY-02 PRS-01 /022 W

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R 231530Z APR 75

FM AMEMBASSY ABIDJAN

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3007

S E C R E T ABIDJAN 3390

LIMDIS

EO 11652: GDS

TAGS: OVIP

SUBJ: TRAVEL OF AF ASSISTANT SECRETARY DAVIS

REF: A) ABIDJAN 3318; B) ABIDJAN 3355

1. AMBASSADOR SMITH MET THIS MORNING WITH DIRECTOR OF COBINET OF PRESIDENCY FORMALLY TO REQUEST APPOINTMENT FOR ASSISTANT SECRETARY DAVIS WITH PRESIDENT HOUPHOUET-BOIGNY FOR AFTERNOON OF MAY 12 OR ANYTIME MAY 13. NAIRAY PROMISED TO DO EVERYTHING POSSIBLE BUT COULD MAKE NO COMMITMENT OF THE PRESIDENT'S TIME.

2. WE SHALL CONTINUE TO REMIND IVORIAN OFFICIALS OF THE VISIT WITH A VIEW TO ESTABLISHING FIRM SCHEDULE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. FROM PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE HERE PROBABILITY OF APPOINTMENT IS VERY GREAT BUT LIKELIHOOD IS THAT THAT EXACT TIME WILL NOT BE PINNED DOWN UNTIL THE LAST MINUTE. NOT TO WORRY.  
SMITH

SECRET

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